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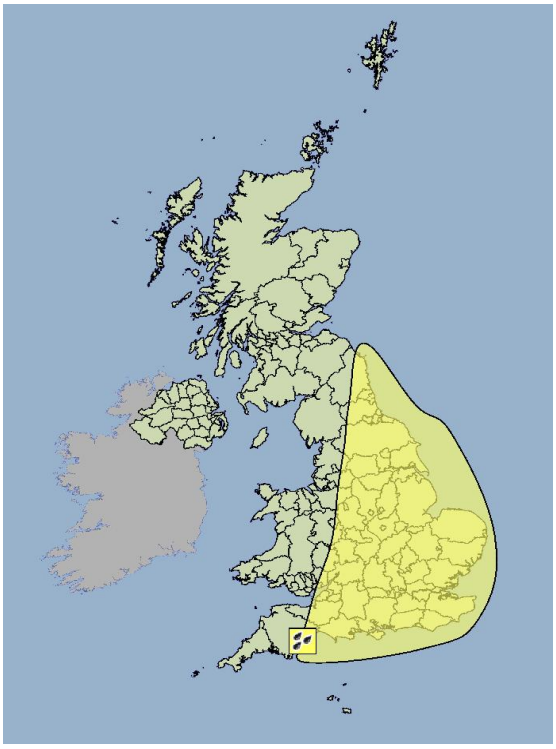

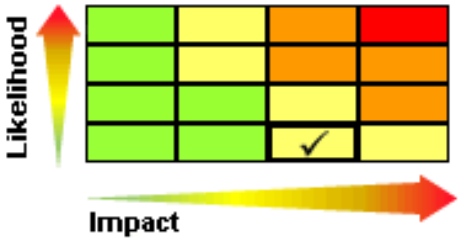

Chief Forecasters Assessment
Isolated thunderstorms developing later on Thursday are expected to become more widespread across southern, central and eastern parts of England overnight and during Friday morning, whilst more isolated downpours may develop further north and west ahead of an eastwards moving cold front. This brings the risk of 30-40 mm of rain in an hour in places and more than 50 mm in a few hours. At this stage, there remains uncertainty in the location of the most disruptive thunderstorms, although the area south of a line from The Wash to Bristol is considered to be at greatest risk during Friday morning. The warning will be kept under review and updated as necessary.

The Met Office have issued a **Yellow Warning** of **Rain**

Valid from **00:10 on Fri, 16th Sep 2016** until **18:00 on Fri, 16th Sep 2016**

Heavy showers and thunderstorms are expected to develop more widely across central, southern and eastern parts of England during Thursday night and Friday morning, whilst rain spreading from the west may also turn locally heavy and thundery. This all moving eastwards during the course of the day, but not clearing East Anglia until evening.

Please be aware of the risk of disruption due to localised flooding and also from lightning strikes.

This is an update to the Alert issued on Wednesday, to reduce the western extent.

For more details please go to:
http://www.metoffice.gov.uk/public/weather/warnings

Issued by the Met Office at 14:06 on Wed, 14th Sep 2016

Updated by the Met Office at 10:59 on Thu, 15th Sep 2016

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